Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 25 May 2021 until 23:59 on Wednesday 26 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 24 May 2021 at 14:41

Confidence: High for the main theme of the unsettled weather giving way to an improving situation later in the week. Confidence falling to moderate for the location and intensity of showers.

Headline for Tuesday 25 May 2021: Sunshine and showers with a risk of hail and thunder

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 25 May 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	30%	30%	20%	30%	40%	30%	10%

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Weather: Cloudy start with showers developing and spreading across the area, showers less frequent than of late but a continued risk of hail and thunder. Long sunny spells developing during the afternoon with it becoming largely dry by the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 70% rising to 80% from mid-afternoon.

Visibility: Generally very good, with most cloud bases above summits, however sudden deterioration in visibilities are possible in any showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/25 W	18/25 NW	21/29 NW	21/29 NW	18/27 W	16/24 NW	12/19 W	11/17 W	12/17 W
300	9/21 W	10/22 W	11/25 W	14/27 W	13/26 W	11/22 NW	10/19 W	6/15 W	6/14 W
Valley	8/21 W	8/20 W	10/23 W	12/26 W	12/24 W	12/24 W	9/19 W	6/15 W	6/15 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-0	5/0	5/-0	6/1	7/3	8/4	7/4	5/2	4/0
300	6/3	7/4	7/4	9/6	10/8	11/9	10/8	7/5	6/4
Valley	6/4	7/5	8/5	10/7	11/9	12/10	10/8	7/5	6/4
Freezing Level*	1200m	1400m	1200m	1200m	1300m	1400m	1300m	1300m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

High UV levels are likely to be high during sunny spells, so sun protection is recommended if you plan to spend much of the day in the mountains. Showers with the risk of thunder and hail are likely to make walking conditions challenging at best.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Mon 24 May 2021	21.2mm	28.6mm	33.8mm

Forecast for Wednesday 26 May 2021

Weather: A bright start with variable amounts of cloud giving frequent sunny spells during the morning, however cloud is likely to increase a little during the early afternoon with showery outbreaks of rain possible for a time. Becoming largely dry with clearing skies from the evening.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 15-20mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 60%

Visibility: Generally very good, with most cloud bases above summits, however sudden deterioration in visibilities are possible in any showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to plus 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 5 Celsius rising to plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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